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BAILWAY AND OTHER SHARES

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The weekly statement of averages of the Clearing House banks shows:

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The imports of general merchandise, including dry goods, at the port of New York last week were \$11,225,775, against \$11,584,194 the previous week and \$10,946,526 for the corresponding week of last year. The imports of specie for the week were \$109,300, or which \$90,803 was gold, making total specie imports since Jan. 1, \$2,476,215. Exports of specie were: Gold, \$1,109,751, and silver, \$720,706, a total of \$1,890,451,against \$510,626 the previous week. The exports of specie since Jan. 4 have been. Gold, \$0,119,832, and silver, \$14,176,136, a total of \$22,294,466.

The official count of cash in the general Treasury, not including the gold reserve of \$180,000,000 and \$730,678,770, in gold, silver and notes, against which certificates are outstanding and compared with that of last Saturday:

\$147.843.63 Net avail, cash bal \$144,168,975 The Treasury Department to-day received bonds to the amount of \$616,550, to be exchanged for the new 2 per cent, bonds of 193 under the Refunding act. The total amount of bonds received to date is \$259,051,960.

Diridends and Anterest. NEW YORK CENTRAL AND HUDSO! RIVER RAILROAD COMPANY.

Office of the Treasurer,
Grand Central Station, New York.
April 2d 1900.
NOTICE is hereby given that the principal of the
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE SEVEN PER
CENT BONDS of the NEW YORK AND HARLEN
RAILROAD COMPANY, maturing MAY 1st, 1900,
will be paid on, and after that date, at the banking
house of Messra, J. P. Morgan & Company, New
York City. All interest due on said bunds will be
paid as usual through this office.
E. V. W. ROSSITER, Treasurer.

THE PACIFIC COAST COMPANY. 10 Wall Street, New York, April 4 1900. The following dividends have this day been declared upon the stock of The Pacific Coast Company, payable on and after May 1st, 1906, to stock holders of record at the close of business on April 9th, 1900, a dividend of 1½ per cent, upon the First Preferred stock; a dividend of 1 per cent, upon the Second Preferred stock and a dividend of 1 per cent, upon the Common Stock.

Transfer books will close at 3 o'clock P. M. on the ninth day of April, 1900, and will reopen at 10 o'clock A.M. on May 1st, 1900. JOHN REAN, Treasurer.

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS RY. CO 135 Broadway, New York, April 39, 1900.
Coupons of the following named companies. maturing May 1, 1900, will be paid upon presentation at this office, on and after that date, vie.
MISSOURI KANSAS & TEXAS RAHLWAY CO., 1st Muge Extension Bonds.
DALLAS & WACO R WAY CO. BONDS.
BOONVILLE BAILBOAD BRIDGE CO. BONDS.
C. G. HEDGE, Vice Pres't & Treas.

SOUTHERN LIGHT & TRACTION COMPANY JERSEY CITY, N. J., April 27, 1900.
The Directors have this day declared a semi-annualiyidend of one and one half per cent. payable Ma dividend of one and one half per cent. payable May 21, 1900, to the stockholders of record at the close of business, May 11, 1900. The transfer books will close May 11, 1900, and reopen May 22, 1900 Checks will be mailed EMERSON McMILLIN. President

MINNEAPOLIS & ST. LOUIS R. R. CO. Coupons, due May 1st. 1900, from Consolidated Mortgage 5 per cent. Bonds, and from Munneapolis & Dulutin Bonds of this Company, will be paid on an after that date on presentation at the office of the Central Trust Company, 24 Wall street, New York &F. H. DAVIS, Treasurer.

UNITED STATES EXPRESS COMPANY. 49 Broadway, New York, April 24, 1900.
The transfer books of this Company will be closed on April 30 at 3 P. M. and reopen May 16.
THEODORE F. WOOD, 2d Vice-Pres. and Treas.

Clections and Meetings.

To All Holders of Certificates of Stock in the NORTH AMERICAN TRUST COMPANY, and in the IMTERNATIONAL BANKING & TRUST COMPANY.

Whereas, An Agreement made April 3rd, 1990, between the Board of Directors of the North American Trust Company, and the Board of Directors of the International Banking & Trust Company, for a merger of the two into one Company, under Sections 34, 3, 36, 37 and 38 of the Banking Law of the State of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, was duly submitted to the Stockholders of New York, and The Stockholders of The North York, and The North York of New York, and The North York of New York, and The North York of New York of New York, and The North York of New York, and The North York of New York of

and was, by an affirmative vote of more than twotirids of the entire number of shares of stock of each
of the said Companies, Approved. Ratified and Connimed:

Now, Therefore, Notice is Hereby Given. That
a Special Meeting of the Stockholders of the North
American Trust Company, as the same is constituted
by the said Contract of Merger, will be held in purstance to Section 161 of the Banking Law of the
State of New York, upon the first day of May, 1990,
at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of that day, at the
office of the said Company, No. 100 Broadway, in the
City of New York, for the purpose of electing
Thirty 1300 Directors, who shall manage the affairs of
the Company for the succeeding year, and who shall
after qualifying, divide themselves into classes, as
provided by law.

The Transfer Books of the North American Trust
Company and of the International Banking. & Trust
Company are closed this day, at three o'clock P. M.,
and the Transfer Books of the North American Trust
Company—for new stock-will be opened May 2nd.
1800, at ten o'clock. A. M.

New York. April 20th 1900.

CENTRAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF
NEW JERSEY.

CENTRAL BUILDING, LIBERTY, WEST J
AND WASHINGTON STREET'S.

New York April 20th 1900.

Noulce is hereby given that the annual meeting of
the Stockholders of the Central Railroad Company of
New Jersey to elect nine directors to serve for the
year next ensuing will be held on Priday, May 11th
next, at the office of the Company, at Jersey City,
between the hours of 12 o'clock M. and 1 o'clock
P. M. of that day, and that the stock transfer book
will be closed at 3 o'clock P. M. of Nonday, April
30th, and opened Saturday, May 12th, 1800.

SAM'L KNOX, Secretary.

THE DELAWARE AND HUDSON COM-PANY
NEW YORK, April 9, 1900.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of this com-pany will be held at the office of the company, 21 Cortlands Street, in this city, on Tuesday, the 8th day of May next, for the election of Managers and for other business. her business. The polls will open at 12 o'clock noon, and remain open for one hour. The transfer books will be closed from the close of business Saturday. April 28th, until the morning of Wednesday, May 9th. By order of the Board of Managers. F. M. OLYPHANT. Secretary.

THE SEN PRINTING AND PUBLISHING ASSO-CIATION - The annual election of trustees of this association will be held at its office, 170 Nassau st, New York, on Monday, May 21, 1900, from noon till 12:30 o'clock P. M. L. O. MACDANIEL, Secretary.

Copartnership Motices.

WE have to announce that Mr. J. N. CARPENTER this day becomes A Special Partner of our Firm, contributing as Special Capital One Hundred Thousand Dollars.

ATWOOD VIOLETT & CO., Members of the New York and Liverpool Cotton Exchanges.

Wild West in Rude Health. Man and Beast. The Wild West show took a day off yesterday and most of Col. Cody's performers went over to Brooklyn to look up quarters for next week, when the Wild West begins its season under canvas. Away up under the roof of the Garcanvas. Away up under the root of the Garden, where the Cossacks and Indians live, these
exponents of the art of rough riding sat around
in the morning and smoked their pipes. In the
afternoon they went out sight-seeling, visiting
Bedlow's Island and other points of interest in
the lower part of the city. Col. Cody says that
the health of all of his performers, both equine
and human, is excellent and he looks forward
to a very successful season.

to a very successful season. Court Calendars This Day,

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OFFICE OF THE Western New York & Pennsylvania Railway Company,

ES 104 SOUTH PIFTH STREET. PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 23, 1900.

To the Sharehelders

and Income Mortgage Bondheiders: Since submitting the report of the operations your Company for the year ending June 30th, 1899, freumstances have arisen gravely affecting your interests, which make it the duty of the manage

ment to submit to you the following statement: As is no doubt well known to you, a large prope tion of the earnings of your Company is derived from traffic exchanged with the Pennsylvania Railroad System, and the relations of your Company with that system have been for many years of the most cordia character, and continue to be so at this time. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company, however, has always had in view the importance of Buffalo as one of its terminal points, and this has been lately empha sized by its purchase of the stock of the Erie and runs to that city, and whose traffic furnishes an add tional reason why the relations of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company with Buffalo should be over its own rails. The Pennsylvania Railroad Company ha no ownership in your property, and therefore has no special interest in sending its traffic over your road. but with the view of securing its own line to Buffalo, t opened negotiations some time since with you Company for the purchase of the controlling interes in your property. It had no desire to destroy the value of your property by building a competing road but did naturally desire to secure for lines in its own nterest the profit resulting from the transportation o its trametto and from Buffalo, especially in view of the proposed establishment of large steel works and ther industrial establishments in that city, which o necessity will draw a large amount of coal and othe traffic from points on the Pennsylvania Railroad Sys

upon a basis which we could recommend for your acceptance, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company look out a charter and adopted a location for line from Wilcox on the Philadelphia and Eric Ratiroad to the State line between Pennsylvania and New York, to be continued under a prope charter to Buffalo, where the Pennsylvania Hall road Company has already acquired large terminal properties, in addition to those belonging to the Erie and Western Transportation Company. Your management then had further protracted negotia tions with the Pennsylvania Railroad Company as a result whereof it has now offered to purchas the stock and the income bonds of your Company at a price and upon conditions which in the judgment of your Board are fair and should be satis factory to you. From the inception of these ne offer made should be open for a definite time to all the holders of these securities; and we are now authorized to state to the stockholders and to the income bondholders that if not less than a majority of both the stock and income bonds is deposited as hereinafter set forth, on or before May 26th, 1900, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will pay eighteen per cent, or \$9 per share, for the stock and thirty per cent., or \$300 per bond, for like proportions of such stock and income bonds as may be so deposited. The prices offered for these securities are more than full as compared with their current market values, and it is needless to say that should the proposed new line to Buffalo be built, the traffic now passing over your line to and from the Pennsylvania Railroad System will be diverted therefrom, and your gross and net earnings seriously depleted. Under these circumstances, and with the conviction that the price offered is just and fair, the members of your Board, who are personally large holders of both income bonds and stock, have signified their intention of accepting the offer made that the acceptance of this offer is for the best inter ests of those concerned, they cordially recommend it for your acceptance, and the Board of Directors at their meeting of this date have formally approved it and directed its submission with their endomement to the stockholders and income bondholders of the Com-

In order that the offer of the Pennsylvania Rail road Company may be availed of. It is necessary that deposits of said stock and bonds should be

The Commercial Trust Company, Philadelphia, Pa. Spever & Co., New York City, N. Y .:

Speyer Brothers, London, England; Laz. Spever Ellissen, Frankfort-on-Main, Germany: Teixelra De Mattos Brothers, Amsterdam, Holland.

Upon the deposit of said stock and income bonds

temporary negotiable receipts will be issued there-for, and should the stipulated amount of said ecurities be deposited by the time named, the transaction will be closed; and, upon surrender of the temporary receipts, payments will be made in each for the said securities on and after June 15th. holders of the said securities fall to deposit them to the amount hereinbefore stated, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company has the right to withdraw its offer in which case prompt notice thereof will be given, and upon surrender of the temporary receipts the securities deposited will be returned to the owners. Holders of these securities destring further infor mation will please communicate promptly with either

By order of the Board. SAMUEL G. DeCOURSEY, President.

The American Cotton Oil Co.,

TO THE

Holders of Debenture Bonds OF

The American Cotton Oil Company. The original issue of \$4,000,000 Debenture Bonds,

made on the first day of November, 1890, out of an authorized issue of \$5,000,000, has been reduced by veraber 1st nest. By authority of the Board of Directors, the pay ment of these Bonds will be extended for

further period of fifteen years, with interest at

the rate of 4% per centum per annum, payable quarterly; the extended Bonds to retain all the advantages and conditions of the terms of their The entire amount of these extended Bo been underwritten, but the Company has exacted and reserved to the present holders the privilege of extension on the above terms, conditional upon the deposit of their Bonds on or before August 1st, 1900, with Mesars. Winslow, La-

pler & Company, Agents of the Company, to be stamped with the Agreement of Extension and have the new interest coupons attached.

Bondholders availing of the privilege of such on will be paid on August 1st. 1900, the interest coupon of November 1st, in addition to that of August 1st, 1900.

of August 1st, 1900.

Bondholders who do not agail, of this privilege will receive the face value of their Bonds on delivering the same on November 1st, 1900, to Messre Winslow Lanier & Company, who will purchase THE AMERICAN COTTON OIL CO

By GEORGE A. MORRISON,

Winslow, Lanier & Co., 17 Nassau Street, New York, April 28th, 1900. TO THE Holders of Debenture Bonds

The American Cotton Oil Company. Referring to the privilege of extension expressed in the circular of The American Cotton Oil Company of April 28th, 1900, we hereby give notice of our readiness, on or before August 1st, 1900. to receive for such extension the Debenture Bonds of that Company, for which temporary receipts will be given pending the attachment of the new cou-

On the first day of November, 1900, we will purchase, at par, all Debenture Bonds, the holders of which do not avail of the privilege of extension as above indicated and accorded by the Company. WINSLOW, LANIER & COMPANY.

WEEK'S EVENTS IN MINING.

LAKE NAVIGATION OPENS AND COP-PER SHIPPING BEGINS. Berival in the Aspen Silver Camp of Colorado -Development in the Iron Ranges of the Lake Region-Opening Up the Black Hills

District - New Strikes in Utah and Elsewhere HOUGHTON, Mich., April 28.-Lake navigation has opened and from now until the toe stops the running of vessels next December copper from the local smelters will go forward steadily to Buffalo, thence by rail to the seaboard or to the big brass and copper working district in Connecticut. The Bigelow-Lewisohn group of mines has about five thousand tons of bars and ingots on the wharf at Dollar Bay awaiting shipment, but the other mines have very little copper, the heavy demand having caused steady all-rail shipments during the winter, at an added freight cost of about a quarter of a cent per pound.

The Trimountain is cross-cutting to the westward and will cut the parallel lode which overlays the amygdaloid originally opened at a distance of about seventy feet. The Champion mine of the Copper Range Company also possesses this parallel lode, which carries a very

promising quantity of copper. The management of the Mass Consolidated Mining Company has bought thirty-five acres of frontage on Keweenaw Bay near Newtonville, sixteen miles south of Houghton, for a mill site, in preference to a location much closer to the mine on Lake Superior, because the sheltered position of the Keweenaw site and the ease of access by either rail or water more than counterbalanced the cost of a forty-mile haul from mine to mill. A long-term contract at a low rate has been made with the Mineral Range Railroad for the transportation of stamp rock. Work on the mill is to begin immedi ately, and it is hoped to have one stamp

running by Jan. 1. A temporary mill is being built on the old Franklin stamp sands, opposite Houghton, by T. J. Mays of Dubuque, Ia., who has a contract at 15 per cent. gross royalty for the recovery of copper contained in the tailings. Similar contracts have been secured from other mines and negotiations are in progress with still others in the district. Should the temporary mill work as satisfactorily as the laboratory tests, millions of dollars' worth of copper now valueless to any one will be recovered from he old tailings

Work on the Isle Royale mill site is progress. ing well and it is thought the mine will have nearly five miles of new underground openings by the time the new mill starts work. Little attention has been paid to the old workings, which as a rule are stoped out pretty cleanly A few of the old drifts have been utilized, but ward

The new permanent combination shafthouse and rockhouse at No. 1 Arcadian has gone into commission A new shafthouse is being built at the southernmost shaft of the Quincy. Fight carloads of machinery have been re

ceived for the new six-stamp mill of the Calumet and Hecla, which is to treat amygdaloid rock from the Osceola lode

The Phoenix has about fifteen tons of mass and barrel copper and nearly one thousand tons of good stamp rock, all taken from development work. Some stopes of great promise are being prepared underground, but no attempt will be made to remove anything but ground required in opening, until the mine has been developed on a considerable scale.

The April product of the Baltic will crowd 80 tons of mineral and when the second stamp is started at the Atlantic mill on Baltic rock, which should be in a few weeks, the mine can be depended on to turn out an average monthly product of better than 125 tons of mineral.

COLORADO

DENVER, April 25. The silver camp of Aspen is beginning to show signs of returning prosperity. It suffered worst because its mineral wealth was solely in silver, the best ores having been extracted during the days of its great prospectity, while the low price of silver made its low grade ores of no marketable values. The Sun correspondent visited the camp this SUN correspondent visited the camp this week and was impressed by the signs of a revival. The experiments of several years duration have resulted in the successful concentration of the low grade ores remaining in the great mines of the camp, and now the principal shippers of the district either have a concentrating mill attached or plans are preparing for such a mill. Some of these mills extract the zinc as well as the silver values the success of concentrating mills in the Aspen district gives value to an enormous tonnage of ores remaining in the drifts and explored territory on Smuggler and Aspen mountains. The mines which produced the great wealth of the camp in past years are all in operation. The great Cowenhoven tunnel, 11,000 test deep, is draining Smuggler Mountain and is carrying a heavy tonnage of ore, it is making regular dividends. There is considerable prospecting about the district and many of the old miners are returning to keep up their assessment work. Considerable woneys has gone into old proper.

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The Bassick mine at Silver Cliff is now working toward a supposed ore chute. The mine was reopened last year after filteen years of hingation, during which time it was closed, the shaft retimbered to a depth of 1,200 feet, an additional 100 feet was driven and from this new level a drift is running toward the supposed ore chute.

ore chute. The Philadelphia company which recently purchased the Baca Grant in San Luis valley is to expend \$1,000,000 in improvements. As an indication of its intentions it began this week work upon a three-compartment shaft upon the Independence mine, situated about three miles below Crestone. A contract has been let for a 100-stamp mill. The company will build a railroad from Moffat station to the mine, a distance of thirty miles, will establish a water system. f thirty miles, will establish a water system and will make other extensive improve-The evanide mill of the San Juan Gold Mining Company in the Gold King basin, near uride, has been in operation for two w with satisfactory results.

LAKE REGION IRON MINES. DULUTH, Minn., April 26.—The American Steel Hoop Company and the Republic Iron and Steel Company have bought for \$400,000 a lease of forty acres on the Mesaba range, near Virginia, and will open a mine there at once. The stargely underlaid by ore of high grade

valuable. Both companies are already owners of Mesaba mines. Contracts have been closed for the erection of Algonia Central Hailway's ore dock at ipicoten Harbor, north shore of Lake Su-or. This will be the first ore dock in Can-and is to be ready to ship ore this summer

Michipicoten introor, and the first ore dock in Can-ada and is to be ready to ship ore this summer in a small way. The hope of shipping ore from western On-tario via Port arthur this year has been aban-doned and mining work there will be continued another year before any mines are ready to

lington Bay, near Duluth, for the benefit of the Duluth and Iron Range Road, that has filled its present harbor full of ore docks and needs more room. Burlington Bay can be made an excellent harbor by dredging and breakwaters and the survey is to determine the cost. The next River and Hasber bill will probably have

an appropriation for beginning the improve A dozen great steam shovels are being added A dozen great steam shoves are being added to the various mines of the Mesaba range for stripping and loading ore. Most of them are of the largest size ever built, weighing 180,000 pounds and capable of handling 500 tons an hour continuously from the bed of the ore mines.

mines

Among the new mines that will ship ore this year for the first time, the McGregor is sinking into ore and has a large machinery plant on the ground. It will sink 250 feet and drift there. It is expected to ship considerable ore this year. The spruce has three shafts into ore and will be mining heavily in a month or two. It has begun drifting. The Clark has 100 men at work and is erecting its buildings and installing machinery, its drifting and ore paring to mine heavily at erecting its buildings and instatting machinery, it is drifting and preparing to mine heavily at once. The Stevenson is now mining and has two shafts in ore, with much ore stoped ready for hoisting. Not one of these mines, all of which are on the Mesaba range, had a hole in the ground four months ago. On no other range could they be prepared for shipment so quickly.

quickly.

It is now said that ore exists under the village of Sparta and that the town will have to be moved. It will be the fourth village on the Mesabarange found to be located on an ore local. body. A very large body of ore has apparently been found on land belonging to the St. Paul and Du-luth Railroad near Biwabik, and the Minnesota.

Iron Company is testing and has a contract for the purchase of the location. More than 3,000,-000 tons of high-grade ore have been shown al-ready and the explorations have but begun. During the season the Fayal mine will ship \$00,000 tons from underground and 1,000,000 tons from underground and 1,000,000 tons from surface and milling pits. All this has been sold or allotted.

Yesterday P. L. Kimberley paid \$150,000 cash for 180 acres of land lying in the centre of town 59, range 19, that he has been exploring for

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DEADWOOD, April 24.—Otto P. Th. Grantz, the German who owns the Hidden Forume nime porth of Lead, is about to open up the rich shoot of ore which he discovered last fail relicities the control of the shoot of the which he shipped nearly two hundred thousand dollars worth of ore in three carloads. The ore is just as rich as when he left of shipping last October. A cyanide plant is to be erected at the mine with which the lower grade ore will be handled. Grantz states that he expects to take out \$200,000 worth of ore from the shoot that has been stripped during the whiter. This shoot will turn into a vertical before many more feet of excavation have been made.

Deadwood is full of speculators from both East and West. The tide has set in earlier this spring than usual.

CUSTER, S. D. April 23.—Mining matters in this part of the flack Hills are rapidly coming to the notice of the outside people. The Burlington Railway Company is planning to do lington Railway Company is planning to do considerable building in this county and in the southern part of Pennington county this season, which will give the owners in some of the best mineralized districts an opportunity to get their ores to the market. It is understood that the Burlington will build a spur from the Keystone branch around by way of Sheridan to the Blue Lead copper mine, now under bond to R. M. Maloney of Deadwood. Another spur will be run from Keystone to Hayward, along Battle Creek, passing through Harney City. This road would be about six miles in length and it would occur up a very rich section of mining ground. Still another spur will be built from Harney City over the divide to Spokane and thence on to Custer. This latter road would take in the mine of the Crewn Hill Mining Company, at Spokane, and it would also be built to pass the big marble ledge recently purchased by the Smethal of the stone of the Burlin

to become an important industry. The Chicago Mica Company has purchased a number of mines around Custer and about five carloads of mica will be shipped each month. The company is enlarging its grinding plant at Chicago. Prospectors are turning their attention to the finding of mica ledges with the result that several very promising finds have been made. The mica of the Black Hills stands far in the lead of other mica mined in the United States, for the reason that there is only a small amount of iron it it, which makes it of especial value for electrical purposes.

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Another rich strike of ore has been made in the Lightning Creek district on the Carr property, where the remarkable strike was made last summer.

SALT LAKE, April 23.—Word was received on Saturday of two new strikes in the Tintic properties of the Mammoth Mining Company. The first and more important of the disclosures is that which was made on the 1,000-foot level where the vein was broken into at a distance of 135 feet from the shaft, and where a full breast of ore running high in copper with sensational of ore running high in copper with sensation values in gold was exposed. The other strik was made on the 800-foot level where another was made on the sco-foot level where another large ore body was encountered. A feature of the strike on the 1,900-foot is that the vein was free from any suspicion of water, which de-monstrates the continuance of the vein to a

great depth.

The Utah Queen group of claims in Dry Canon, ophir mining district, have passed into the hands of the Hon. S E Mersick, State Treasurer of Connecticut, the consideration being \$40,000

The week at the gold sampling rooms of the Kansas City Smelting and Refining rooms closed with receipts of gold dust amounting to 1,245 pounds and of the value of nearly \$40,000. In the ore and bullion market the settlements for the week were \$316,082

IDARO CITY, April 22—The Pheasant group of mines at Grimes's Pass, under bond to the War Eagle Company, is turning out rich, free

who now have a five-stamp mill running. The first month's run gave good paying returns.

William Schultz and John Hopp have secured a two-years' lease on the Ophir, on upper Wood River. Immediately after securing the lease they took out and sold eight tons of ore that paid them handsomely. It carries gold, silver and lead.

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The ledges lately discovered on the middle fork of Clearwater, in Central Idaho, are from sixty to eighty feet wide, and prospect well in tree gold, besides containing good quantities of sulphurets. A good many locations have already been made.

Work will soon commence on the Midland Railroad from Boise in Southern Idaho to Butte, Mont. This road will pass through Atlanta and Stanley Basin, thence down the Salmon to Salmon city. It will pass through many mining districts and will cause a great increase in the

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Helena. April 21. Despite the fact that an exodus of miners from Montana to Cape Nome is now fairly in progress, more mining companies are being organized than has been the case for many years. These are confined to no particular section of the State, and as a rule the capital stock is fully paid up and the work of development carried on to the full capacity of the claims, with gratifying results in most cases.

The new copper district near Dillon is, owing to the highly favorable showing made, attracting a great deal of attention, and some are enthusiastic enough to predict another Butte. At the 200-foot level of the Indian Queen shaft, ore assaying 20 per cent, copper, with sufficient the 200-foot level of the Indian Queen shaft, ore assaying 20 per cent, copper, with sufficient gold and silver to pay the cost of treatment, has been encountered. The sinking was in copper from the 50 to the 200-foot level and the worst sample showed 12 per cent, copper. A tunnel is being driven and as soon as this encounters, the shaft at the 600-foot level a smelter will be erected. No water has so far been encountered, making the proposition a most promising one. tered, making the large gold ore in large quan-ing one.

Low-grade free milling gold ore in large quan-tities has been discovered on Grouse Mountain, twelve miles south of Troy, and. Spokane capi-toseking large layestments there. The ores also carry copper. Assays showing from sixteen to twenty ounces gold to the ton have been had from the Diamond Bitch mine. At least a dozen companies are now operating in this direct.

SEATTLE, Wash., April 23—The principal occupation of the 2,500 men and women who have remained at Nome all winter appears to be the jumping of mining claims located and owned by men who came out to spend the winter among their Eastern friends in a more congenial climate. Little attention has been paid to the rights of owners who have complied with all the requirements of the United States. While the jumpers will give employment to attorneys, they retard early development of claims, many of the original owners now being on the way to the mines with expensive machinery purchased for the purpose of development. There has been more or less legitimate work on claims on the beach at None, in the way of sinking shafts to bedrock. This has been successfully accomplished in several instances, the ALASKA. sinking shafts to bedrock. This has been successfully accomplished in several instances, the shafts being protected by tents heated by steam. The ground is thawed by steam and a depth of twenty and thirty feet is attained, bedrock and good pay being reached. The action of the waves has obliterated all traces of the work done by several thousand miners in turning over the gravel and extracting the gold. All shafts and gopher holes have been filled up and the dump piles have been filled up and the dump piles have been leveled as though miners had never been there. It is the general impression that these diggings worked over again by the crowds in the spring will pay as well as they did last season. This, however, has yet to be demonstrated.

Stampedes have been of almost daily occur-

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rence, occasioned by prospectors who have put in the winter on scores of unprospected rivers and creeks. These men have risked their lives in breasting Arctic storms in search of gold, and their acts are in marked contrast with those of the Nome jumpers, who have hovered around comfor able camp fires awaiting opportunity to steal other people's property. Hundreds of good pay creeks and much territory will be added to that aiready found and there will be plenty of room for the thousands of men now heading to the North in search of wealth.

Christmas Creek is among the new discoveries made in December and January. It produces gold in paying quantities and also rubbes haying every appearance of the genuine stones. This creek was found by a young prospector, Henry Ball, and there are now 200 miners on the croek making locations.

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Success has attended the experiment of concentrating the beach sand, eight sacks of sand and gravel producing \$150 gold and concentrates valued at \$250. This test was made at what is known as the Kimball Sluicing Works in the vicinity of Nome. These works are confirming the experiments made at Scattle and San Francisco last fall.

As nearly as can be ascertained there are steamer accommodations for 18,000 passenters at this port. All the vessels that were first in the field are engaged ahead of their sailing dates (May 10 to 15) and, ludging from present indications, every available foot of space for passengers and freight will be taken. There is but little individual outfitting done, this being very different from the Klondike excitement when every man was expected to carry provisions and clothing for two years. The Nome gold seeker now packs his blankets and a change of clothing, depending on the country for other supplies, there being plenty of large outfitting establishments already located at Nome, Port Clarence and St. Michael.

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SEATTLE, April 23 — Work is being pushed on the restoration of the Monte Cristo Railroad, and the tracklayers are now at Silverton, one of the chief stations. At this point the "45-mine" has a wire tramway connecting the mine with the railroad, and several thousand tons of first-class ore, now on the dumps, will become available for shipping. The road will be completed to Monte Cristo district in about two months.

The snow having disappeared from the mountains in State Creek district, preparations are being made to start up the new tin stamp mill at the Eureka, the five stamps of the Mammoth and the little mill of the Goat Company. There is pienty of ore to keep these mills busy all summer.

The Black Bear mine at Loomia, Wash., is opening up a splendid reserve of gold ore, and the mill will be engaged in dropping stamps next month.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

SEATTLE. Wash., April 23—There have been negotiations under way for the past week or two for the Britannia group of copper-gold mines on Howe Sound, the consideration being \$1,250,000 for the entire property, embracing seven chaims, or 296 acres. Seven-tenths of this property was purchased by an energetic syndicate of Americans last December for \$100,000, and they have kept a large force steadily engaged in systematic development, the property re-ponding to development in a wonderful manner. The greater portion of the work has been confined to the Jane claim where experts, who have recently examined the property, estimate 250,000 tons of workable gold copper ore in sight. The average of this ore is \$15 per ton in copper, gold and silver. This property is admirably situated, being but three miles from coke ovens and a large coal supply while the mountains surrounding are covered with the finest timber. Water power is also available at the mine and transportation from mine to wharf can be had at an expense of 25 cents a ton.

ARIZONA. Tucson, April 20.-The United Verde Copper Tucson, April 20.—The United Verde Copper Company has been organized under the laws of West Virginia. The capital stock is placed at 500 shares of the value of \$100 each. Treadwell, the litigant, is not in the new corporation, although it is said that he agreed to the new deal. W. A. Clark owns 273 shares and J. A. McDonald 245 and three other men five each.

Arrangements are being made to put in a stamp mill for the President mine at Placeritas. A reliable report comes in that rich ore was encountered last week in the Great Belcher. The cross cut that has been driven for some time past has reached the main ledge where this

The cross cut that has been driven for some time past has reached the main ledge where this ore is found.

The erection of a 250-ton furnace at the United Globe Smelter has begun and it is presumed that the company intends to smelt or next month.

H. Gunn, superintendent of the Copper Hill mine, says that the main shaft has been completed 210 feet and a station cut at 200, from which drifting is in progress day and night. Shipments continue to El Paso, but the output is less owing to the greater depth at which the ore is mined and consequent labor of getting it out. Ore holds out well in all the openings.

FIRST BRIGADE TONGUES WAG. Quoting Code About an Alleged Falling Out

Gen. McCoskry Butt, Commander of the First Brigade, National Guard, has relieved Col. Regiment, as a member of the Brigade Examining Board. This has caused general talk ficers. The story is that it began at the Military Tournament at Madison Square Garden. One evening when Gen. Butt visited the Garden a Lieutenant in the Twelfth Regiment who was in charge of the guard for the night did not have the guard present arms to Gen. Butt as he passed. It is not known whether the Lieu enant recognized the General or not. was a newly elected officer. Gen. Butt immediately went over and corrected him. Accounts as to the manner of the correction

As soon as Col. Dyer learned of the General's action he informed Gen. Butt that if he had any criticism to pass on the officers of the Twelfth he should make them through the Twelfth Col-

Gen. Butt was in civilian dress at the Gardens, and had paid his admission fee. Col. Dyer's friends say that as he was not present in an official capacity, he was entitled to no military honors. To offset that opinion Gen. Butt's friends point to this paragraph in the regula-

"Respect to superiors will not be confined to obedience to duty, but will be extended on all occasions."

When it comes to quoting regulations the Dyer men are not behind the partisans of Gen. Butt. They fish out the following regulation:
"Superiors should avoid censuring subordinate officers."

So fierce has the battle of paragraphs raged that half a dozen copies of the Code have been that half a dozen copies who hesitate about worn out.

Those among the officers who hesitate about going to the length of demanding a Court of Inquiry say they are not without means of retaliation, and among these is mentioned shelving, the Butt shooting trophy, presented some years ago by the General and one of the leading trophics in the regiment. phies in the regiment.

Gen. But expressed the greatest surprise at the report of a disagreement between him and col. Dyer, "Falling out with Col. Dyer? Nonsense, nonsense," he said emphatically. He de-

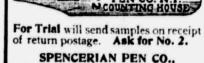
sense, nonsense," he said emphatically. clined to discuss the matter in any way Col. Dyer was equally non-committal

BOGUS PICTURES IN BOSTON. Effort to Prevent the Sale of Counterfelts of Works of Great Masters.

Boston, April 29 .- At a meeting of the Boston

sitting room asked him what he was crying for, the boy said he wanted to go home to 6 Alexander avenue, Albany. He had visited his aunt at Foughkeepie and when he started home a policeman put him on the wrong train. He is detained in the Children's Society rooms till his

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STAGE NOTES.

A SABDOU PLAY ACTED IN LONDON FOR A PURPOSE. Beerbohm Tree's Success Recently A New Play Made From an Old One Duse Decora-

ted by the Austrian Kalser Paris Notes. Blanche Walsh's declaration that the Sardou draines no longer draw the public may or may not be true, but it is certain that they are not as much in demand now as they once were I liet Gregory and the famous dramatists collaborated last summer in a play C'Under the Old Flag dealing with the Spanish-American War It went the rounds of the managers during the past winter but was not produced. It has just been performed in London for copyright purposes. Clo Graves has made the dramatic versus and the Maurice Hewlett's "The Forest Love has sold the American rights to Charles & Beerbohm Tree's production of summer Night's Dream" has its one hundredth performance Waller is to be at the head of the new theatre in London. Francis Neison, who England with William Gillette, is to manager at Covent Garden during proaching season. George Alexander in ext in Sydney Grundy's "A Debt of which is an elaboration of his oneact." Bound." Seymour Hicks and Heary Bare writing a play for Ellaline Terris Clo Graves has made the dramatic vers which is an elaboration of his oneact. "In Honor Bound." Seymour Hicks and Henry Hamilton are writing a play for Ellakine Terriss. Cyrll Maude and Winifred Emery are to revive. "The School for Scandal" in June. Mrs. Patrick Campbell is to act. "Marisan," which was given first in London by the Independent Theatre, Edward Terry has been acting in "The Passport" in London. Gertrude Kingston is playing the part attempted here by Sadie Mariinot. Adolf Klein is the latest German actor to take part in the London performance. He appeared there in "Die Ehre" as the philosophic Count, which he played when Sudermann's work was acted first in Berlin.

Eleonora Duse has received from the Austrian

acted first in Berlin.

Emperor the golden cross of merit with the crown. She produced d'Annunzio's "Goconda" in Berlin with greater success than it met with in any other city of German; also revived there Sardou's "Federa" August Stringberg, the Scandinavian poet, has recent become a member of the Roman Cathelia Church. He is to make a pilgrimage to Ro and will be received by the Pope. Victina the atres are devoted more than any otters in Europe to the production of plays dealing with the life of the city. Studies of character, produces of city existence and the presentation of tures of city existence and the presental local types always interest the V public "The Last Button" and "F Child," two striking plays of this king there recently were followed by "The V Hare" in four acts. It proved to be intechiefly through the remarkably faithful duction of a Viennese carpenters dexperiences. The theme does not seeming. Scarcely a week passes that on Vienna theatres does not produce a play kind. A curious celebration was held the day at the Royal Theatre in Dresden in honor of the part that for a century aber of the Porth family has been conwith the theatre. Carl Porth, who is the entrepresentative, acted the physic "Uriel Acosta" while his son and nepleals oin the performance. Marie Seebac ter has recently given to the home for also in the performance. Marie Seebach's sister has recently given to the home for actors provided by the tragedian before her death \$26,000, which had been left to her. This will enable the home to receive thrity more pensioners. Ludwig Menzel, who was for many years a member of the company at the German Theatre in Berlin, died there last week. The actors from the German Folk Theatre in Vienna will take to Berlin this summer a lot of plays which they have given during the winter in their home theatre. "The king of Rome" by Von Pfordten, which was acted the other day at the Royal Theatre in Berlin, proved to be but fairly interesting and will, in all likeother day at the Royal Theatre in Berlin, proved to be but fairly interesting and will, in all like-lihood, not interfere with the popularity of the Rostand drama on the same subject Gustave Kadelburg, who has hithertowritten only in collaboration, is the single author of a new comedy called The Bear Skin." Adele Sandrock has been ill for several weeks and her place in various cities has been taken by Marie Reisenhofer, who is one of the handsomest women on the German stage Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" has been acted fall times in Berlin and stands considerably behind several other plays in the frequency of representation. The fiftieth anniversary of the first performance was celebrated on the 15th of April. It was acted first at the Royal Theatre and the original Viola was Eduina Vierch.

French theatres are said to stand much in

need of the fortune they expect to make out of visitors to the Paris Exposition. They have not prospered lately, according to some statisties made public. Sarah Bernhardt is said to be playing "The Eaglet" to audiences that usually represent about \$2,200. The company of the Comedie Française, playing in the Odeon, has attracted only small audiences. The Varietes, Vaudeville and Antoine theatres have fared better than the others, although their receipts have not been large, while on one night the receipts have not been large, while on one night the receipts at the Odéon were \$145, at the Gymnase \$200, at the Renaissance \$208, at the Ambiqu \$120, at the Athenée \$48, at the Lyrique \$160 and at the Cluny \$800. "Charlotte Cordax is not to be acted at the Odéon untillate in May, as two of the Comédie Française actors were allowed to go Nimes to take part in celebration of the unveilling of the statue to Alphonse Daudet. The play has been ready for revival for more than a year and has always been postponed by some shight accident. "Antigone" and "Les Fossiles" are also to be given at the Odéon, which has such a small stage that the scenery from the Comédie Française cannot be used there. It was not destroyed by the fire but stored in a building distant from the theatre. The revival of Sardou's "Patrie" has been put off until the new theatre is completed, as the direction is unwilling to alter the new scenery to the new theatre was begun the other day. has attracted only small audiences. The Varieties Vaudeville and Antoine theatres have new theatre is completed, as the direction is unwilling to alter the new scenery fit the Odéon stage. The construction of the new theatre was begun the other day it is said that there will be elevators for the use of the spectators. There will also be an elevator on the stage for the use of the actors and three stairways leading to the dressing rooms. There was but one in the old theatre. F. R. Benson is to give some Shakesperean performances during the summer at the Gymnase. There is to be an international congress of theatrieal art during the Exposition. It will begin on July 27 and continue for four days. Georges Leygues is the President of the head committee, which includes Albert Carré, Victorien Sardon, Jules Massenet, Jules Claretie, Henri Lavedan and Paul Ginisty. The subjects to be discussed are "Theatre Architecture," "Illumination and Machinery," "Scenery and Costumes' and general matters. In addition to the discussions there will be visits to all the Paris theatres. Henri Chresafulli, called Crisa, author of numerous plays and romances, died the other day in Paris. He collaborated with Victoria Sardon in "L'Hotel Godelot" and was associated with many other dramatists better known than himself in the authorship of plays. He was born at Naples in 1827, studied at Paris and produced his first play. "Casar Borgia," at the Ambigu there in 1835. "The Chimes of Normandy," called in French "Les Cloches de Corneville-sur-Risle is conspicuous chiefly for having no chimes of any kindin spite of their inmortalization in the operetia. Recently a conmittee has been formed to raise the necessary funds to supply this deficient wand in the collaborated work of the rise artical regulation. Ernest Blum, who is writing his interesting reminiscences for a Paris newspaper, says that he formerly never wrote a review of the theatrical year in Faris evidence. without some allusion to Sarah I Boston, April 29.—At a meeting of the Boston Art Club last evening a member of the club spoke of the large amount of counterfeit pictures of famous masters which are annually sold in Boston, the purchasers supposing that they are securing original works. A committee of five was appointed to consider the matter and to devise some method whereby the honest dealer and artist may be protected from this fraud. A meeting will be called soon to take definite action in the matter.

ALBANY BOY LOST HERE.

Policeman Put Him on Wrong Train at Pough-keepsie and He Was Left in New York.

James Steinbach, 10 years old, was found crying at the Grand Central station on Saturday night. When a policeman who saw him in the sitting room asked him what he was crying for, the boy said he wanted to yo home. ingly youthful and fresh-iooking in spite of "most ungrateful, phenomenal and epa making leanness." Maurice Donnay does disdain to write occasionally for the Thea Antoine and is, with flucien Desauther of "The Clearing," which deals sociological questions. It introduces a col of believers endeavoring to put into practitude their social theories. Life in the band is seesful enough until three new members, it and cause dissension. The conflicting quities of the play would not blend but it found a more successful specimen of such wing than social and political dramas usuality. Praise of the Antoine's wonderful manner producing his plays usually absorbs all common the subject. "Little Red Riding Hood an intensely modern and Parisian version lately been acted in Paris. The here is a young Parisian of the day the wolf an attractive army offi against whom she makes less than traditional resistance. Even a nursery tale be mad; to serve the purposes of a Bouley dramatist Constant Coquelin's new play, "Mart," seems to have met with success in Pa Edmond Harcourt selected a comular historial.

dramatist Constant Coquelin's new piny, or an Bart." seems to have met with success in Para Edmond Harcourt selected a popular historical hero, and Coquelin is said to embody him admirably. The play shows the principal episodes in the great virate's career, which are said to be introduced in excellently theatrical fashio. The play appeals to the present state of French feeling by making the English appear anything but herois.

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